

Classified Ads

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FOR RENT—ROOMS

FOR RENT—Furnished rooms. 416 Maple ave. 10-1-fc

FOR RENT—Furnished sleeping rooms; modern. Inquire at 512 Pine St. 10-1-p

FOR RENT—Modern furnished room. Girl preferred. Inquire 209 Walnut St. 10-1-p

FOR RENT—Three or four unfurnished rooms. Furnace heat. 702 Woodworth. 10-1-p

FOR RENT—Two furnished rooms at 225 Lincoln Ave. Girls preferred. 10-2-p

FOR RENT—Room furnished or unfurnished. 530 Wright ave. 10-1-p

FOR RENT—Three furnished rooms for light housekeeping; all modern conveniences. No children. \$7 per week. Inquire Frank Kindig, 510 Richmond St. 10-1-p

FOR RENT—BUSINESS PLACES

FOR RENT—Hotel Arcadia barber shop; furnished; heat, lights and water. Geo. W. Palfrey. 10-1-p

FOR SALE—CITY PROPERTY

FOR SALE—House at 721 Second Ave. C. E. Drury. 10-1-p

FOR SALE—Five room house almost new, 805 N. Hannah St. cheap. Also fine building lot near corner of Orchard and 2nd Ave. H. A. Graham, 618 S. Main St., Mt. Pleasant. Union phone 640. 10-1-p

FOR SALE—Nice new house on Republic Ave. for sale or rent, or will exchange for farm property. M. C. Lake, Ithaca, Phone 66. 10-2-p

FOR SALE—House and lot with garage on Alma road near St. Louis. Address Lock Box 76, St. Louis. 10-2-p

FOR SALE—Strictly modern house, eight rooms and bath; also some new furniture. Leaving city and will sell at a bargain. Inquire at 519 W. Superior St. 09-1-fc

FOR SALE—MISCELLANEOUS

FOR SALE—10x12 extra warm building suitable for office or shop. Inquire 427 Hannah St. 10-1-p

FOR SALE—Used rug 9x13, leather rocker, oak bed, dressing mirror 24x48, Victrola with records. Inquire 824 Woodworth Ave. 10-1-p

FOR SALE—Fine assortment of nearly new furniture; bed, dresser, desk, chairs, stoves, bookcases, etc. Inquire at 519 W. Superior. 10-1-fc

FOR SALE—Five-passenger automobile in good condition. Will sell cheap. Inquire of J. A. Bartley. 95-1-fc

FOR SALE—A quantity of shoes, cheap, must be sold to make room for furniture. Call and see them from \$2.00 up. A. L. Worley at rear of Alma Tailor shop in Sydam building. 99-1-fc

FOR SALE—One hay-press and gas engine. Inquire of Glen Bigelow, Bell phone 189-1L-48. 09-3-p

LOST AND FOUND

LOST—Female black and tan fox hound. Finder please return to Davy C. Davis, 117 Pine St., Alma, and receive reward. 09-4-p

LOST—Silver ring set with blue stone and brilliants. Call Union phone 280-4 rings and receive reward. 10-1-p

HELP WANTED

WANTED—Experienced bookkeeper. Permanent position. Woman preferred. Address H. S., care Alma Record. 07-1-fc

WANTED—Girl for general housework. Mrs. M. McLaren, 526 W. Center St., Union phone 168. 09-2-p

WANTED—Woman or experienced girl for housework. Mrs. A. G. Wright, 710 Gratiot, both phones. 10-1-c

WANTED—MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED—A SEVEN- OR EIGHT-ROOM HOUSE THAT IS MODERN. MUST BE CLOSE IN AND AVAILABLE WITHIN THE NEXT FEW WEEKS. WILL TAKE LEASE IF NECESSARY. INQUIRE RECORD OFFICE.

WANTED—Rooms for students. State terms, location and preference as to men or women. Albert P. Cook, Secretary, Alma College. 10-1-c

MISCELLANEOUS

NOTICE—Persons who can employ college students during the coming year, write Y. M. C. A. Committee Chairman, % Record office. 04-7-c

NOTICE FARMERS—We have 3 1/2 and 6 in. tile for sale now and will endeavor to keep tile ahead of our contracts from now on. Your early order will insure prompt delivery. St. Louis Tile Co., St. Louis. 99-1-fc

NOTICE—My wife having left my bed and board without just cause or provocation I hereby give notice that I will pay no bills contracted by her after this date. Dated at Alma, Mich., Aug. 28, 1919. Arthur Clark. 10-1-p

NOTICE—Expert radiator repairing. All work guaranteed. Earl Carman, Wright House Garage. 09-4-p

Record Ads Pay

HIS OPPORTUNITY TO SERVE

Old Soldier Could Not Fight in Ranks, But Could Prove He Was of Some Use.

A year ago Americans were saying that this was not an old man's war. And the old men, many of whom had been soldiers in their younger days, were feeling the same way and suffering over it, too. Old women could knit, roll bandages, and do a hundred other things quite as well as the young women. But what could the old men do? And because there seemed to be nothing for them to do, they suffered more keenly than most people knew.

But as the young men left there began to be work for the old men. Retired farmers were needed to teach boys how to farm. Retired bankers were put on Thrift stamp and finance committees. All carpenters, whether young or old, were needed. And there came a new look—one of usefulness and happiness—on the faces of the old men.

But one of the most patriotic of all was noted the other day.

"I'd like to buy your old rubber and rags," he said courteously, "or if you'd give it to me it would be still better."

The woman of the house glanced out at his push cart which was almost full of junk. "I'll try to find something," she began.

The old man's face was radiant.

"You see, lady," he explained, "I'm an old soldier and I'm on a pension so I'm giving all my time to my country. I get this junk for the Red Cross. You just go down and ask them how much I've turned in and you'll decide that I'm not a worn-out plug after all." —Indianapolis News.

BUILT FOR PIETY OR LUCK

Two Reasons Assigned for the Construction of Pagodas in Countries of the Far East.

The word pagoda is a Portuguese corruption of the Persian "but-kadah," meaning "bat," an "idol," and "kadah," "temple." In the far East, as in India, China and Burma, they are regarded as sacred towers, usually more or less pyramidal in outline, richly carved, painted or otherwise adorned, and of several stories, and are sometimes connected with a temple. Such towers were originally erected over relics of Buddha, the bones of a saint, etc., but are now built chiefly as a work of merit on the part of some pious person, or for the purpose of improving the luck of the neighborhood. In China pagodas are from 3 to 13 stories high (always an odd number). Their Drauidian shape indicates that they originated with the earliest races of India, who inhabited the country previous to the advent of the Aryans. The date of the great pagoda at Tajore is not certainly known, but it with much probability, referred to the beginning of the fourteenth century. The so-called "Thousand Pagodas" of Brumabany in Java are obviously modeled on Hindu originals, either Jain or Buddhist.

Expect India to Export Sugar.

Sugar making is one of India's most ancient industries, but the loss of three-fourths of the sugar value of the cane by use of primitive machinery and the muddy character of the product, because religious prejudices prohibit the use of animal charcoal for refining, have confined India's sugar to local consumption, says World Outlook. With nearly three million acres under cane, producing considerably more than a third of the world's total, India nevertheless exports no sugar. On the contrary, in addition to her own stupendous production, she spends \$25,000,000 for sugar annually.

With new methods of refining, there is now a steady development of centralized plants, and soon India—the aboriginal home of the cane—will doubtless take a place as a sugar-exporting land commensurate with the size of her cane crop.

Submarine is Blind and Slow.

In spite of the fact that the British have some steam-driven 2,700-ton submarines, capable of a surface speed of from 23 to 25 knots, the submarine, as a weapon of war, is too slow and too blind when it is submerged to be considered a serious weapon of naval warfare. When it can see, electrically, to a distance of 10 to 15 miles, while it is submerged so deeply as to be invisible to the aircraft, and when it can steam 20 knots submerged, it will dominate the naval situation. —Scientific American.

Nature's Wonderful Work.

Nature gives to every time and sea some beauties of its own; and from morning to night, as from the cradle to the grave, is but a succession of changes so gentle and easy that we can scarcely mark their progress. —Dickens.

LEGAL NOTICES

Estate of Enos H. Kimmel, Deceased

STATE OF MICHIGAN—The Probate Court for the County of Gratiot.

At a session of said court, held at the Probate office in the village of Ithaca in said county, on the 19th day of August, 1919.

Present, J. Lee Potts, Judge.

In the matter of the estate of Enos H. Kimmel, deceased.

The above estate having been admitted to Probate and James G. Kress, of Alma, Michigan, appointed executor thereof.

It is ordered that four months from this date be allowed for creditors to present their claims against said estate and that such claims will be heard by said court on Monday, the 2nd day of December, next, at ten o'clock in the forenoon.

It is further ordered that public notice thereof be given by publication of this order for three successive weeks previous to said day of hearing, in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed and circulated in said county.

J. LEE POTTS, Judge of Probate.

A true copy. Attest: ELEAN M. WALTER, Register of Probate.

(First publication 8-21; last 9-11)

STATE OF MICHIGAN—In the Circuit Court for the County of Gratiot—In Chancery.

Lillian Thornton, Plaintiff, vs. Arial Thornton, Defendant.

At a session of said court, held at the Court House in the Village of Ithaca, in said County, on the 24th day of July, A. D. 1919.

Present, the Hon. Frank D. M. Davis, Circuit Judge.

In the cause, it appearing by affidavits on file that the defendant, Arial Thornton, was formerly a resident of this State, and that a Chancery Summons to appear and answer has been duly issued in this cause but could not be served because he could not be found within the State, and that further appearing from said affidavits now on file that it cannot be ascertained, after a diligent search and inquiry, the place of residence of Arial Thornton, defendant, or in what State or Territory he resides;

On motion of Charles H. Goggin, attorney for said Plaintiff, it is ordered that the appearance of the said defendant, Arial Thornton, be entered in this cause within three months from the date of this order; and that in case of his appearance that he cause his answer to the bill of complaint to be filed and a copy thereof served upon the Plaintiff within fifteen days after service on him or his attorney of a copy of said bill and in default thereof said bill be taken as confessed by said defendant, Arial Thornton.

And it is further ordered that the said Plaintiff cause this order to be published in the Alma Record, a newspaper printed, published and circulated in said county and that such publication be commenced within 20 days from the date of this order, and that such publication be continued therein once in each week for six weeks in succession, or that the said Plaintiff cause a copy of this order to be personally served on the said defendant, Arial Thornton, at least 20 days before the time above prescribed for his appearance.

Countersigned: FRANK D. M. DAVIS, Circuit Judge.

R. L. Case, Clerk.

Charles H. Goggin, Attorney for Plaintiff. (1st insertion July 21—2nd insertion Sept. 11)

MORTGAGE SALE

Whereas default having been made in the conditions of a certain mortgage made and executed on the 12th day of June, 1917, by Arthur Oliver and wife, Grace, both of Alma, Michigan, to Hira C. Moore, John D. Sullivan, Albert H. Olmsted and Lena E. Cresser, also of Alma, Michigan, which said mortgage was recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds for Gratiot county, Michigan, on the 18th day of June, 1917, in Liber 128 of Mortgages on page 619; and which said mortgage was, on the 30th day of October, 1917, by the said John D. Sullivan, Albert H. Olmsted and Lena E. Cresser, as far as their interest in same was concerned, duly assigned to Hira C. Moore, which said assignment was, on the 17th day of November, 1917, recorded in the office of said Register of Deeds; and that said mortgage was duly assigned by the said Hira C. Moore, on the 15th day of May, 1918, to Edgerton E. Crandell, which said assignment was, on the 19th day of June, 1918, duly recorded in the office of the Register of Deeds, aforesaid.

And whereas, the amount now claimed to be due and owing upon said mortgage at the date hereof for principal is the sum of two hundred and forty dollars (\$240.00), and for interest the sum of fifty dollars and three cents (\$50.03), making a total sum of two hundred ninety dollars and three cents (\$290.03), together with an attorney fee and all legal costs as in said mortgage and by the statutes of the state of Michigan, provided; and whereas, over and above the amount due upon principal and interest upon said mortgage, there will remain unpaid on the principal of said mortgage the further sum of one hundred and ten dollars (\$110.00), with interest to accrue thereon at seven (7) per cent per annum; and whereas, the aforesaid mortgage is a certain mortgage and is subject to a first mortgage of six hundred dollars and interest accrued and to accrue thereon; and whereas, no suit or proceeding at law or in equity has been instituted to recover the debt secured by said first described mortgage, or any part thereof. Now, therefore, notice is hereby given that by virtue of the power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in pursuance of the statute in such case made and provided, the said mortgage will be foreclosed by a sale of the premises therein described, at public auction to the highest bidder subject to said first mortgage of Six Hundred Dollars (\$600.00) and interest accrued and to accrue thereon, and subject to the unpaid principal of the mortgage first above described with interest to accrue thereon after the date hereof, at the north front door of the Court House in the village of Ithaca, in the county of Gratiot, and state of Michigan, on Wednesday, the first day of October, 1919, at 9 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, the said Court House being the place of holding the Circuit Court in and for the county of Gratiot, Michigan. The premises described in said mortgage and to be sold as aforesaid are as follows: Lots number twenty (20) and twenty-one (21) of Gratiot Heights Addition, to the city of Alma, Michigan, according to the recorded plat thereof.

Dated, June 25, 1919.

Edgerton E. Crandell, Assignee of Mortgage.

Business Address, Alma, Mich.

Attorney for Assignee of Mortgage.

(First issue, 6-26; last issue 9-18)

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